

Sunday Messenger



OCTOBER 15, 2017 | TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ON THIS MOUNTAIN THE LORD OF HOSTS
WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL PEOPLES
A FEAST OF RICH FOOD AND CHOICE WINES,
JUICY, RICH FOOD AND PURE, CHOICE WINES.

— ISAIAH 25:6



Santa Lucia - Santa Maria Incononata
Catholic Parish

3022 S. Wells St. • Chicago, IL 60616

Parish Administrator
Fr. Stipe Renić, OFM

Mass schedule

Saturday (Sunday Vigil)
4 p.m.

Sunday
10 a.m.

Weekdays (Tuesday & Friday)
8:15 a.m.

Sick calls — at any time

Baptisms — by appointment

Confessions — before Masses

Weddings — arrange 6 months in
advance

Parish Office hours

9 a.m. - 3 p.m. (Monday - Friday)
Evenings - by appointment only

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*Santa Lucia,
pray for us!*



Saturday, October 14

4 p.m.

- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Rose Weindorfer Rosemary Bauer
- + Lottie Christiano Frank & Ursula & family
- + Saverio Scalise Arnie & Darlene Ramirez
- + Nancy Calace Altar & Rosary Society
- + Palma Ursetta (anniversary remembrance) family
- + Mariano Coletta family
- ++ Rex & Angie Madia daughter Jeanie
- ++ Joseph & Carmela DiPiazza family

Sunday, October 15

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 a.m.

- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Orlando Maffei family
- + Rocco LaMantia Ropke family
- + Nancy Calace Carm & Josie Bertucci
- + Frances Granato Karen Vitale
- + Carol Terrazas Joe & Debbie Tito
- + Saverio Scalise Carmela Capellupo
- + Alice Dorchek husband Len
- + Pierina Infelise sister Bridget Fratto
- ++ of Crivilare, Piccini & Lotesto families
- Charlotte DeSanto

Tuesday, October 17

St. Ignatius of Antioch

8:15 a.m.

- + Larry Pusateri Elaine & family

Friday, October 20

8:15 a.m.

- ++ Julia, Bernard & Michael Waters Leonard Dorchek

Saturday, October 21

4 p.m.

- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Frank Carrano son Paul
- + Marie Hilbert Arnie & Darlene Ramirez
- + Lottie Christiano Frank & Ursula & family
- + Jennifer Saverino Frank & Ursula & family
- + Theresa Carvatta Frank & Ursula & family
- + Nancy Calace Altar & Rosary Society
- + Fran Granato Tom & Mary Ann Powell
- ++ Joseph & Carmela DiPiazza family
- ++ members of Old Neighborhood Italian American Club & Women's Alliance ONIAC & Women's Alliance

Sunday, October 22
29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 a.m.

- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Marie Hilbert Al & Ann Kavalauskas
- + Rocco LaMantia Anna Marie Roti
- + Nancy Calace Rose Marie Sestito
- + Saverio Scalise Infelise family
- + Alice Dorchek husband Len
- + Rose Fricano Tomasello family
- + Nino Capellupo (birthday remembrance) wife & children
- + Ann Kavalauskas Pat Jackowiak
- ++ Peter & Mary Iozzi (birthday remembrance) Jackowiak family
- ++ Rosario & Elena Fratto Eluisa Lynn
- ++ of Lynn family Lynn family
- For good health of Marge Piegari Jackowiak family

ALTAR SERVERS

- 4 p.m. – Ixta Delgado, Alexia Escudero, Mario Gonzalez
- 10 a.m. – Mikel Garza, Ogbonna Ugwu-Uche, Sonya Yang

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

- 4 p.m. – Nancy Grabowski
- 10 a.m. – Roseann Jackowiak

LECTORS

- 4 p.m. – Jill Hillock
- 10 a.m. – Patricia Jackowiak



LET US PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE ILL AS WELL AS FOR THEIR CARETAKERS

- Kati Kaup, Tony Giglio, Mary Mannella, Annie Maggio, Jeanine Briatta, Nicholas Tobar, Dolores Levielle, Carol Ordzowialy, Gail Wodarski, Jerry Pizzotti, Ida Ruffolo, Maria Senerchia, Irene Burich, Kate Drost, Gianina Alberto, Paride Infelise, Barb Stack, Katie Santello, Pat Hoffman, Lizzy Kaup, Breck Neiswender, Jose Lara, Ofelia Lara, Fr. Nick Marro, Pat Petrizzo, Carmen Llamas, Janice Gio, Anne Rodig, Mary Balestri, Shane O'Connell, Juanita Perez, Marie Floros, baby Ella Velasquez, Carmen Pinto, Kevin Bingham, Margaret Gavin, John Senerchia

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE HEAVENLY BANQUET

The mountain of the Lord described in today's first reading is a place where there is no more hunger, no more weeping, and no more division of any kind. We need to pause and ponder these images every now and then, especially given the fact that we live in such a fractured world. The responsorial psalm continues to paint a picture of a place where only goodness and kindness flourish. These readings describe the heavenly banquet, to which God calls each of us through baptism and continues to call us throughout our lives.

Let us "RSVP" to God's invitation and live our lives consistent with gospel values so that one day we will be welcomed to the table of the kingdom.

LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Tiburcio Rodriguez, 94. Husband of +Jessie; father of George, Cecilia Chavez, Tiburcio Jr., Ramona, Rosemary (Francisco) DeLaCruz, David, Michael, and +Ernesto, Jose, Ruben, and Conrado Rodriguez; grandfather and great-grandfather of many. He was buried on Saturday, October 14, at St. Mary Cemetery, Evergreen Park, IL.

May he rest in peace.

OCTOBER - MONTH OF MARY

The month of October is dedicated to Mary. During this month we pray rosary before Sunday Masses. Join us!

OCTOBER MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT

For the 5 Sundays in October, every Catholic parish is required to take a count of the number of people attending each Mass. This is an important source of information when the Archdiocese plans and makes decisions about the future.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Dear Parishioners! I would like to add new members to the Santa Lucia Parish Council. I ask that you carefully consider whom you believe would be good in serving in this role. Please, consider the qualifications and responsibilities described below.

Qualifications: (1) Be a Catholic in good standing who is registered and active in the Parish, (2) participate in the sacramental life of the Church, (3) be 18 years of age or older.

Responsibilities: As a consultative body, the Parish Council is responsible to the priest (pastor), assisting, advising and supporting him in his leader-

ship role. The Parish Council actively listens to and identifies the needs and concerns of the parishioners and develops a plan to respond to those needs.

Next Sunday we will have names of those who accepted to be on the ballot. Those present on Masses will elect 7 people to be the new members of Santa Lucia Parish Council. Thank you for your help and support.

Fr. Stipe

RENEW MY CHURCH

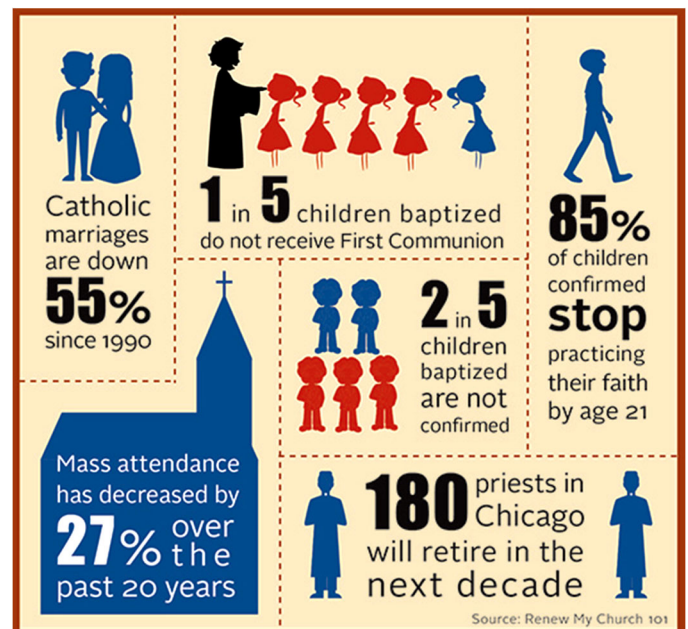
Jesus Christ calls us to constantly renew His Church. *Renew My Church* is the Archdiocese of Chicago's response to His call and our invitation for renewal. Called by Jesus Christ we are making disciples, building communities and inspiring witness.

Renew My Church fosters belonging, particularly among young people, and invites them to have a true encounter and relationship with Jesus Christ.

Renew My Church supports vibrant parishes and schools that cultivate bonds with each other and provoke active participation in His Church.

Renew My Church asks us to come together in solidarity and spread the light and hope of Jesus Christ in order to transform the world.

- Evangelize and form new and existing Catholics in faith
- Increasing vocations
- Improving leadership development and support
- Increasing parish mission vitality and Catholic school mission vitality
- Building Solidarity



SANTA LUCIA PARISH

COMMISSIONING OF THE NEW ALTAR SERVERS

On Sunday, October 29, at 11 a.m. Mass, we will have new Altar Servers commissioned for their ministry. To serve at the altar is a great honor but also a big responsibility. May they be diligent in their ministry of serving God through liturgy in our parish.

ALL SAINTS' DAY MASS

Masses for All Saints' Day (holy day of obligation) will be on Wednesday, November 1, at 8:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. We will pray rosary at 6:30 p.m. and remember our parishioners that passed away in the last year.

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day) is celebrated on Thursday, November 2. We will not have Mass on that day. There will be Mass at St. Jerome at 7:30 a.m.

FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY SERIES

We continue with the 6-part Franciscan Spirituality Series. The second session titled *Choice made by St. Francis* will be on Wednesday, November 15, at 7 p.m. in the St. Jerome Small Hall. The presenter will be Fr. Lawrence Frankovich, OFM PhD - Pastor of St. Augustine Croatian Church in West Allis, WI, and former professor of theology. All are welcome.

RCIA - ADULT PREPARATION FOR SACRAMENTS

Are you curious about the Catholic Church? Have you been baptized Catholic but never formed in the faith? Have you never been baptized? Were you baptized in another Christian denomination but interested in the Catholic faith? If you, or someone you know, can answer "yes" to one of the above questions, RCIA may be what you are looking for.

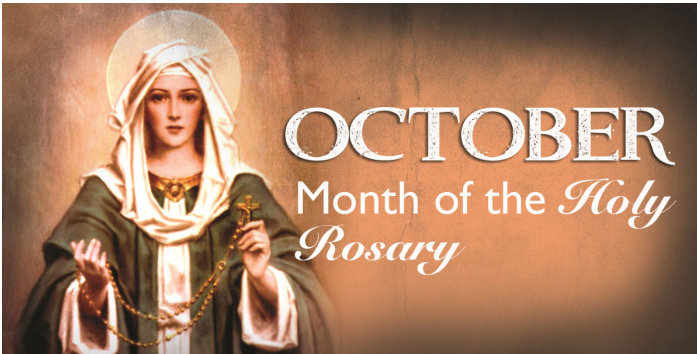
RCIA is the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. It is a program for adults who were never baptized, baptized and formed in another faith tradition, or baptized Catholics who didn't receive the other sacraments of initiation (Confirmation, Eucharist), and now would like to explore the possibility of fully entering the Catholic Church. For more info, get in touch with Fr. Stipe.

INFANT BABYSITTER NEEDED

Infant babysitter needed for 3 month-old starting in February 2018 for 2-3 days per week, 3 blocks from Santa Lucia Church. If interested, please, call John Holly at 312-771-9926.

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PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS TO THE ALTAR

If you would like to present the gifts to the altar at any Mass, please, see one of our ushers before the Mass. It would be beautiful if we would have different families at each Mass, or to have you if a Mass is being celebrated for your intention.

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?

If you attend Mass here regularly, we encourage you to register as a member of Santa Lucia. Registering makes the process easier when it is time for baptism, religious education, weddings or when asked to be a sponsor for baptism or confirmation.

ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE

We have a flexible and secure system that allows you to support Santa Lucia online. You can give a single donation or as frequently as you like. Thank you for your generous support.

SAVE THE DATE

- **Sunday, October 22**
Parish Council elections
 - **Sunday, October 29**
Commissioning of the new Altar Servers
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- **Wednesday, November 1**
All Saint's Day
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WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

October 8

Envelopes (65)	\$1,628.50
Online giving (2)	\$125.00
Loose Donations	\$83.00
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$1,836.50</u>

(average gift \$21.50)
